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Washington, D. C. 20505

Honorable James Abourezk, Chairman Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure Committee on the Judiciary United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

I was pleased to receive your letter of 16 December 1977 which indicated your Subcommittee's continued interest in this Agency's views on S. 1974. My response to Senator Eastland's request for the Agency's views is currently undergoing coordinated review within the Executive Branch. I trust that this process will be completed by 13 January 1978, so that your Subcommittee can prepare for the upcoming hearings. I will, of course, forward my response as soon as the review process has been completed.

Yours sincerely,

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